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EDMONTON, ALBERTA, TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1953

Level Land News Briefs

A piano recital took place in the SDA hall on Monday night, June 8. It was sponsored by the Young People's Club, with Mrs. Henry Stern as leader of the group. Due to the heavy rain in the afternoon the crowd was rather small, but the concert was exceptionally good and it is hoped that they could present it in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Roth of Calgary have been out on their farm fixing up granaries and have found out that we are having heavy rains, since they had to move out of one of their granaries.

Mrs. Sam Leiske and Mrs. Clarence Suelze, the official delegates of the SDA Church of this district, left Friday at 11:00 a.m. by TCA and arrived in San Francisco airport at 8:00 p.m. that same day. They were met by Henry Gross. While there they will attend the American Panama Youth Congress.

Mrs. Gimbell left Thursday afternoon with her daughter and son-in-law for San Francisco, California to attend the American Youth Congress and visit friends.

All those attending the Commencement exercises of CUC from the Leveland district were Jacob, Howard and Glenda Gimbel, Mr. and Mrs. John Leiske and Jerry, Larry and Wainie Leiske and Elmer, Ralph and Donnie Schaber, Donnie Heuther, Mrs. Chris Roth and Merrina and Mrs. Emil Gramus and Lorne and Donna Harris and Freda Borgardt of Calgary and Harvey Becktold and Billy Heuther of Calgary.

Howard Gimbel returned from Walla Walla College last week after finishing his term of school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Engel of Medicine Hat are visiting in the district. They came up to attend the Lang funeral.

Dan Welch of Hanna was visiting in the Leveland district.

Helen Welch of Calgary was visiting her sister, Eltin Selzer. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dick were visiting over the last week-end at Leduc.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Triebwasser were visiting with friends at Millet over the last week-end.

Mr. Fred Lang of College Place, Wash., was visiting for a week in this district with his children Dave and Leonard Laing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Heuther and Carol and Joyce Laing of Calgary left last Tuesday for different parts in the U.S.A. and will join their daughter Joyce and her husband in Portland and from there they will go to San Francisco to take in the Panama Youth Congress.

Mr. Gordon was visiting with the SDA Church in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Riewigl and Emil were visiting in Seattle with their son Dr. Almer Riewigl and Bertha and returned home last Thursday, June 11. They had a real good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patzer were visiting in the district and also their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Roth.

Pastor O. J. Mills and Pastor L. H. Davis of Calgary were visiting with the SDA Church on June 6. Pastor Mills is the new Calgary pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Berreth and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Berreth spent the week-end of June 6 in Banff while visiting with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Roth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schaffer spent the week-end in Hanna visiting with friends.

Horse Steals the Limelight from RCMP



Box, one of the 46 R.C.M.P. horses which took part in the Coronation parade, is here shown stealing the limelight from the colorful constabulary whose duty it is to ride him during the mounties' famed musical ride.

Commencement Exercises At CUC Lacombe

LACOMBE—The Canadian Union College of Lacombe started their commencement exercises on Friday, June 12 at 8:00 p.m. which was a Consecration Service.

Saturday, June 13 was the Baccalaureate Service which started at 11:00 a.m. At 4:00 p.m. the College Choir gave a sacred musical concert.

Saturday night was class night which was presented by the senior class. A very fine contribution was given to the school by the class which consisted of a photo of Her Majesty the Queen.

Sunday 10 a.m. was the Commencement exercises. Pastor S. C. Joyce gave the address. Those receiving diplomas were 12 Pre-Nursing, Pre-X-Ray were 2, one Secretarial, one in Applied Arts, Junior Arts, 2, Theology were 3.

There were 43 high school graduates which included two students from the Leveland District who were Marjorie Leiske and Amaryllis Gramus. Those attending CUC enjoyed a very nice time.

Final Tributes For Benjamin Lang

LEVELAND—The funeral of Benjamin Lang took place in the SDA Church east of Beiseker Thursday, June 11. Mr. Lang was killed in a truck accident on Saturday night, June 6 near Acme. Pastor C. C. Voth of Calgary was in charge of funeral services. Pallbearers were cousins of Mr. Lang: Theo. Reinhold, Gilbert and John Becktold and Henry and Harry Stern. Mr. Lang was 41 years of age and leaves to mourn his loss, his mother, Mrs. William Triebwasser of Beiseker, three brothers, Emil of Beiseker, Herbert of Stratmore, Edwin of Calgary; one sister, Mrs. Melvin Knopp and four half-brothers, Laurence and Glen of Beiseker, Raymond of Balzac, Orvin Triebwasser of Stratmore. His father predeceased him in 1918 during the flu and one brother Martin in 1944 was found dead in his truck in this district and Jacob in 1949 got killed in a truck accident while changing tires. Also surviving are his wife and three daughters. Burial took place in the SDA cemetery.

Graduation Exercises Sponsored By H.S.A.

BEISEKER—The Beiseker Graduation Banquet sponsored by the Beiseker Home and School Association was held June 3. Those who were honored were Wanda Van Housen, Dora Volker, Shirley Haase, Edmund Verbeek, Harvey Olsen, Gregory Schmaltz and Peter Schmaltz. The auditorium was decorated gaily in red, white and blue streamers, balloons, flags and gold and silver shields.

Mr. L. Voghell as master of ceremonies, gave a short introductory talk, then called on Mr. L. Bunyan for a toast to the Queen. This was followed by an address by L. L. Schmaltz. A piano solo by Gloria Rain followed. An address was then given by Rev. Father Tennant. Mr. K. Wright's toast to the school was responded to by Mr. Plante. The High School Chorus then entertained with a song. This was followed by an address by Mr. M. MacLeod, Div. School Superintendent, with the main address of the evening. A toast to the Graduates was proposed by Mr. F. Lavie and a response given by Wanda Van Housen, class valedictorian. Mr. C. E. Schmaltz president of the Home and School Association then spoke on behalf of his organization. Mr. MacLeod presented the pins to Shirley Haase, Wanda Van Housen and Harvey Olsen. The president of the Students' Union, Harvey Olsen expressed a vote of thanks to the teachers and the Home and School for the things they have done for them and to all the parents, who have kept them in school and so made all this possible.

Women's Liberal Club Formed Recently

BEISEKER—Mrs. O. T. Dean, President of the Alberta Women's Liberal Association, Mrs. R. L. Nicolson, Mr. Harold Millican, Q.C. all of Calgary and Mr. N. L. McDonald of Greinger, addressed a gathering of ladies on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Lount. A Women's Liberal Club was formed, with Mrs. A. A. Wald as Chairman, Mrs. F. A. Lount, Vice-Chairman and Mrs. L. B. Olsen as Sec. Treas. A very tasty lunch was served by the hostess.

FIRST ANNUAL GIDEON CONVENTION BEING HELD IN CALGARY THIS WEEK

The men and women responsible for placing thousands of Bibles in Hotels, Hospitals, Prisons and other public places and for the distribution of millions of New Testaments to school children are meeting in Western Canada.

For the first time in their more than 40 years, the Gideons International in Canada will hold their annual convention at Calgary. Delegates are expected to be in attendance from points as far East as the Maritimes.

Of a world-wide membership approximating 18,000, some 1,450 of this number are in Canada, organized into 86 local groups known as camps, extending from St. John's Newfoundland, to Port Alberni, B.C.

Jack Hardie is the president of the Calgary camp, and Donald Norris serves as general chairman of the convention committee. Working closely with their various committees over a period of months, plans have been well laid for the four-day convention scheduled to open Thursday, June 18.

Main speaker at a Saturday evening banquet will be D. J. DePree, of Zeeland, Michigan, president of the Gideons International. Rev. L. E. Maxwell, principal of the Prairie Bible Institute, will address delegates at devotional sessions Friday and Saturday.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Gideons will meet in special session. Canadian president is Mrs. Clarence Hill, of London, Ontario, who will preside. A teenagers' program has also been drawn up featuring several highlights of particular interest to sons and daughters of visiting Gideons.

At Saturday afternoon business session, officers and secretaries of the association will present reports and discuss plans for future operations.

Sunday a number of the association's representatives will occupy city and district pulpits, telling of the work and results of the Gideon ministry.

Alberta Truckers Hold Off Strike

Alberta dump truck operators will not take any strike action as originally planned, although they have not yet reached a 1953 dump truck rate agreement with the Prairie Road Builders' Association. Jack Taylor, managing director of the Alberta Motor Transport Association said at Calgary.

At meetings in Calgary and Edmonton, the truckers decided not to strike, pending further discussion and negotiation with their employers. No action will be taken until the truckers hold further meetings within the next two weeks.

Thieves Break Into Edmonton Legion

EDMONTON (BUP)—Police are conducting a city-wide hunt for safecrackers who escaped with between \$600 and \$1,000 from the Canadian Legion's Kingsway branch.

George Dunaway, secretary-manager of the branch, told police the rogues forced their way into the building during the Coronation holiday by smashing a rear window.

City Woman Receives Letter From the Queen

Mrs. Peter Biollo, 10806 75 Ave., received a letter from Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth last week in acknowledgement of a letter and poem sent to Her Majesty by Mrs. Biollo. The poem, called "Coronation," was written by her late son, F/O P. Biollo, who lost his life in 1944 while on operations.

This poem was written when he was 13 years old, and he wrote it in honor of the late King George on his Coronation. F/O Biollo also was chosen as caddy for the Royal Par y in their Canadian visit to Jasper. Her Majesty was deeply touched with this little girl and said she would cherish the thoughts behind it.

Work Round The Clock To Get Crop Seeded

EDMONTON—Farmers in the Edmonton region are working round the clock to complete seeding operations while the weather holds. Field Crop Commissioner A. M. Wilson says.

"There is nothing to delay the farmers now," Mr. Wilson said Thursday. "Moisture supplies are still good and farmers don't want any more rain until their crops are in. Then a three-day rain might be welcome."

Seeding in the area is about two weeks later than normal, he said, and is even later in southern Alberta.

He agreed with reports that wheat acreage may be reduced due to the late season. Farmers like to get their wheat planted by May 15 and if unable to do so will switch additional land to oat-barley and summer fallow, he said.

Beiseker News Briefs

Mrs. Schultz and Miss Dora Schultz spent the week-end with the Weissgerbers and Rempels at Red Deer.

Playing to a very good-sized crowd, Sherry Moore's Starlets Follies provided top entertainment for two hours. All numbers were greatly applauded. Among the entertainers were Teresa Schmaltz, Nola Fleser of Rockyford and Wayne Schwartzberger of Calgary. Lunch was served to all the performers and an Old Time Dance followed which also proved successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schmarzenberger of Edmonton spent Sunday with Nick's mother, Mrs. E. N. Hagel.

Mrs. Plantz of Cornwall, Ontario is spending a few weeks at the N. A. Lount home.

SQUIRT'S SQUIRT SKIRTS QUIRT

In Ottawa, Ontario, a bandit, aged about 10, shot his way out of a holdup after he had snatched a package of bubble gum from a young customer; when ordered to halt the young squirt pulled a water pistol, squirted the proprietor in the face and escaped.

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Pilgrimage Planned For Unveiling Of War Memorial

OTTAWA. — The next-of-kin of nearly 3,000 RCAF officers and men who gave their lives in the Second World War during operations from bases in the United Kingdom and northwest Europe and who have no known grave have received invitations from the Imperial War Graves Commission to attend the unveiling by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II of the Commonwealth Air Forces Memorial at historic Runnymede in England next fall.

The Memorial, which is being erected by the Imperial War Graves Commission, will be unveiled at 2:30 p.m., October 17, 1953. It was designed by Edward Maufe, R.A.

Altogether, there were some 20,000 members of the Commonwealth Air Forces who died in the last war and who have no known graves.

LEGION SPONSORS

A pilgrimage to Runnymede is being sponsored by the Canadian Legion in conjunction with the Royal Canadian Air Forces Association and the Imperial War Graves Commission, and arrangements for the return trip to Britain are being made with the Cunard Steamship Co. Ltd., Canadian Pacific Steamships, British Overseas Airways Corporation and Trans-Canada Air Lines.

Accommodation in England for next-of-kin, before and after the unveiling, and provision for visits to the continent will be arranged for those who desire it by Thos. Cook & Son Ltd., while facilities for laying flowers and wreaths by relatives following the unveiling ceremony will be arranged by the Imperial War Graves Commission.

In addition to the next-of-kin of those without known graves, consideration will be given to next-of-kin of those buried in known graves to join the pilgrimage, the Imperial War Graves Commission announced. It was emphasized that neither the Canadian Legion, the Royal Canadian Air Force Association nor the Imperial War Graves Commission would be able to contribute toward the cost of the transportation or toward any other expenses incurred by those making the trip.

RCAF Association headquarters are at Beaver Barracks, Ottawa.

Drinking Ban May Go Soon

The controversial ban on mixed drinking in the beverage rooms of hotels in Calgary and Edmonton may soon be lifted, it was learned in Calgary this week.

It was one of the strong recommendations made last February by the Alberta Hotel Association to a special committee appointed by the provincial government to examine the liquor problem.

Raising of the ban, which applies only to the two cities and not to rural hotels, would not require amendment of the new liquor act to come into force next month.

It is a regulation of the Alberta Liquor Board and can be

altered without generating arguments in the legislature.

It is understood the board has been holding back until the effect of the new provisions for the control of beer parlors can be examined.

Liquor board chairman A. J. Mason hinted to the Alberta Hotel Association this week that with a higher standard in some city beer parlors the board would be

more than willing to consider its suggestions.

Association President A. G. Swinerton urged hoteliers to start a campaign for more comfort and a "club" atmosphere.

One difficulty in the cities, particularly in Edmonton, is the lack of seating accommodation in the beverage rooms.

The new ruling of the liquor board to allow a minimum floor space of 50 sq. ft. per table came under criticism at the hotelkeepers' convention, and has now been postponed. Mr. Mason said it was an arbitrary figure selected after an Edmonton architect had recommended 60 sq. ft.

Main criticism came from rural hoteliers, who said most of their business was on Saturdays.

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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Gambling Out In Edmonton

Operations of a carnival at Edmonton's Borden Park focused attention Tuesday on the city's recent ruling prohibiting operation of such devices as wheels of fortune, coin tables and punch boards at carnivals.

Mayor William Hawrelak said complaints about the type of games operated by the carnival had been received and police would be ordered to check and enforce the games-of-chance ruling.

Sgt. William Smith of the morality department reported that to date carnival operators have heeded police warnings in this respect and no charges have been laid and no gaming devices confiscated.

Games requiring skill still are permitted under the new city code. But games of chance prohibited at carnivals are allowed in

the midway during the annual summer exhibition.

Sgt. Smith said he had received complaints from carnival operators who contended Edmonton is the only major city imposing restrictions on gaming devices.

After citizens' complaints about the carnival's games were raised at Monday night's city council meeting, city commissioner John Hodgson said carnivals had been moved from one site to another until Borden Park was the only place left.

Commissioner D. B. Menzies, speaking about past troubles with carnival locations, said "there won't be any more as far as I am concerned," and Commissioner Hodgson indicated he was in agreement.

Someone snatched 27,000 canned worms from Kesinger's Worm Farm, Arcadia, Cal., on the eve of the opening of the fishing season.

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News in Pictures!

NEW JET TRANSPORT "RIDES LIKE CAR"



SQUADRON LDR. STUART OLSON, pilot of the RCAF's record-shattering Comet jet transport, is greeted by Hon. Brooke Claxton, minister of national defence, at Uplands airport after the historic transatlantic flight. The \$1,200,000 British-built plane made the trip from London to Ottawa in 10 hours and 20 minutes—believed to be the fastest transatlantic crossing ever made.

Westerner Has "Fascination" for Cougars



GERRY WALTERS of Port Alice, B.C., seems to have a fatal fascination for cougars. After being badly mauled by one last March, he was recuperating at home when a cougar made its appearance in his yard. He eventually killed the second one, too.

New President Engineer's Council



DEAN R. M. HARDY of the faculty of engineering at the University of Alberta, and a prominent consulting engineer, has been elected president of the Dominion Council of Professional Engineers at its annual meeting in Edmonton.

BRITONS CONQUER MIGHTY EVEREST



E. P. HILLARY, New Zealand beekeeper (centre), and Bhotia Tensing, veteran Nepalese climber, became the first men to reach the 29,610 ft. summit of Mt. Everest and return. Hillary is shown with a porter and a climbing companion.

TULIP TIME IN CANADA'S CAPITAL



NATURE enhances the architectural beauty of the federal parliament buildings at Ottawa as some 750,000 tulips make their yearly debut at Ottawa's recent Tulip Festival sponsored by the Ottawa Board of Trade.

SASKATCHEWAN MINERS MOVE TO OUST LEFT WING UNION



MINERS AT North Saskatchewan's Uranium City, Nesbitt-Lebine mine. The UMSW was expelled from the Canadian Congress of Labor and the CIO for hewing too close to the communist line has decertified the International Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers as their bargaining agent with the huge Eldorado Mining and Refining Company (shown).

EDITORIALS

Election August 10

Conservative and C.C.F. leaders are loud in their criticism of Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent for setting the federal election date in mid-summer. They say that the town and city people will be on vacation and thus disfranchised, as they will be away from their home polling places on election day, and that farmers will be busy—perhaps too busy to vote.

It is known that the Liberal party planned an election to be held after four years, and another June election would undoubtedly have been held as in 1949 if it hadn't been for the Coronation. In choosing August 10 Mr. St. Laurent set a date as soon as possible after the Coronation, and just before farmers become engaged in fall harvest activities. An election in mid-summer will enable the newly-elected government to call a fall session, if necessary, and thus speed the business of Parliament.

To Albertans the idea of an August election is not new. The last three provincial elections have been called for August by Mr. Manning's Social Credit Government. Commercial travellers, and so forth at this election period can vote at the Advance polls in their constituency. Farmers will be through with haying, enjoying a brief spell between that of cutting of the cereal crops.

All in all, we see no real objection to the August election date and believe it will inconvenience no electors who wish to vote.

Burdensome Surpluses

The International Wheat Agreement, which will soon have been in force for four years, had as its preamble and primary object "to overcome the serious hardship caused to producers and consumers by burdensome surpluses and critical shortages of wheat."

The figures do not reveal that the Agreement has done much in keeping down burdensome surpluses. Quite the contrary in fact. The U.S. Department of Agriculture tells us that on March 1 this year, 1953, the four chief exporters—the United States, Canada, Australia and Argentina—had on hand for carry-over and export a total of 1,475 million bushels of wheat. The statistics reveal that on March 1, 1949 the year the Agreement started, there were on hand with these same exporters a total of 870 million bushels only, so it seems that in spite of four years under the Agreement the wheat surpluses of the world have actually increased by 69 per cent.

No students of agriculture, of course, ever thought when the Agreement was made that the Agreement by itself could have the slightest effect on the control of either surpluses or scarcities, for these are the result of the factors of international supply and demand only, and are not to be influenced very much by any artificial control.

Note and Comment

Sweden, according to recent reports, is said to have bought 11,000 to 12,000 tons of Australian wheat, presumably within the terms of the new International Wheat Agreement. The price is thought to be \$68 per ton and to be shipped during the summer. Sweden has also reached an Agreement with Russia for maize and feeding cakes but no amounts are stated.

India is prepared to enter a long-term barter agreement with Russia for purchase of Russian wheat at the rate of 1,000,000 tons annually for the next five years.

Announcement in the Shepherd, Mich., Isabell Country Republican: "In case you find a mistake in this paper, please consider it was put there for a purpose. We publish something for everyone, and some folks are always looking for mistakes."

Argentina's flaxseed production in 1952-53 was officially estimated at 22.4 million bushels, which almost doubles the 1951-1952 crop of 11.9 million bushels.

There comes a time when a wearer of trousers is needed in every home.

Father Lacombe

By SENATOR GERSHAW

Starting life as a farm boy, Father Lacombe became one of the great pioneer heroes of the West. He had skill and courage and, because of his unselfish love of the warlike Indians, he gained their respect and homage.

The story is told that in 1695, a farmer on the banks of the St. Lawrence River, went out with his wife to work in the fields. While they were gone, a party of Algonquin Indians plundered their home and carried away their daughter. For five years the search for the lost daughter was fruitless. Then an uncle made a trip to Sault Ste. Marie with a party of traders and, meeting a band of Indians, they asked if any of them could speak French. Yes, it seemed there was a woman who could interpret. She was the stolen daughter. When the trading was over, she stole away with her two children in the white men's canoe and escaped pursuit. She was welcomed at home as one who had returned from the grave and one of these children was the ancestor of the great Christian missionary.

Albert Lacombe was educated by the Parish Priest and came to the West when Edmonton had a population of 150. He devoted his life to the teaching of his religion to the wandering tribes of Indians who then occupied this great lone land. They gave him a name meaning "Noble Soul" and his fame spread from the Crees in the North to the Blackfoot tribes in the South. He was so helpful in times of sickness and distress that he was referred to as the "Divine Man" and also the "Man with the great heart."

One Sunday night after his service in a camp at Battle River, the warriors of an enemy tribe burst in upon the gathering with war hoop and gunfire. The fighting lasted all night and in the morning the Missionary, holding his cross aloft, advanced toward the enemy and asked them to cease the bloodshed. A bullet struck his forehead and blood ran over his face. Chief Crowfoot saw this and with all the force of his mighty voice called out, "You dogs, you have shot 'Good Heart,' you have killed your friend, the Man of Prayer." They fled in shame to the woods.

Father Lacombe worked among all the tribes of the Blackfoot Confederacy and he really loved the Indians and their cousins, the Metis. He was a great help to the R.N.W.M.P. in the struggle against whiskey runners and bad men from the south. He started schools, churches and hospitals and, with volunteer help, built the first bridge constructed in the North West Territory.

When the first train reached Calgary, he was invited by the C.P.R. Directors into their car for lunch. He sat in the President's chair and, for one hour on that great day, by a vote of the directors, he was the head of the C.P.R.

When the Riel Rebellion broke out, it was largely the devotion of the Blackfoot to Father Lacombe and their trust in him that kept them off the warpath. He understood the Indians and often pleaded for mercy for them before the courts.

He died at the age of 89, having lived a life of adventure beyond the wildest dreams of his youth. "And this our life, exempt from public haunt Finds tongues in trees, Books in the running brooks, Sermons in stones and good in everything."

Men Of Valor

Speaking of courage, think of the wives and mothers, the sweethearts and sisters of the men in uniform. Reflect upon the disrupting of homes, shattered dreams, the enduring of privation, sleepless hours at night, children crying for father, endless days of anxiety, receiving word that he is wounded, opening the telegram with its ominous word of doom. Yes, for sheerest bravery and indomitable fortitude, keep your eyes on the women. Again, hats off to human nature!

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The Bible Today

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I work in a hatchery, you know, and a couple of weeks ago this fellow walked into the office, looked me sternly in the eye as though warning me not let out one snicker at what he was about to say, then launched his request.

"Bill," he said, "I have an old cluck at home, and she has troubles. She made herself a nest away back in a corner of the barn, and she laid twenty eggs. She has been sitting on those eggs faithfully for over three weeks, and has hatched only four chicks. That's not a very good showing, and the poor old girl is all upset about it. Absolutely down in the dumps, if you know what I mean."

"Now I just can't stand to see anyone, even a silly old Plymouth Rock, radiating so much gloom and depression. So what I want to know is, how much will it cost me for about a dozen baby chicks that I can sneak into the nest when the old girl isn't looking?"

"A dollar and a half," I said.

"Sold," said the farmer.

WM. G. McLELLAN, 9906-78th Ave., Edmonton.

NEW BATHING SUIT

We were much interested in your Editorial on the "The Shik-less Bathing Suit" in the Monday May 18 issue of "The Courier."

Could you provide the name and address of the Canadian distributor, or even of the English manufacturer?

Falher, Alberta. —M. MAHOOD

WANTS SOME ACTION

What's wrong with Mannville? No social activities at all. There are a lot of things that could be organized this summer, such as a bicycle club, community picnics, ball games, etc. A high school girl gets only one chance to wear her formal gown—at her graduation.

Instead of sending your younger set away to some other town for their fun, how about doing something in your own home town and keep the children from roaming around the streets.

Interested

Mannville.

FORMULA FOR BACHELORS

A sour bachelor declared that no woman knows how to cook—that all he ever gets when he's invited to homes for dinner is hot dogs or chop suey. My advice to him: Either look a little harder for one of the many girls who can cook—or learn to cook yourself.

NANCY GOMBOCZ

ATOMIC COFFEE

As a pioneer student of atomic energy, I would like to know what your readers think of my theory. In substance, it is this: The fusion of uranium and carbolic acid (X equals Y, plus Z over 10, minus G to the third power cubed) reduces the quotient diametrically opposite of the heterogeneous haberdashery. Now, why can't my wife make a good cup of coffee? Ira Fuse

APPRECIATION

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Dear Louisa,

My husband and I have been married forty odd years. I have worked on the farm with him and reared our children. Now they are married and have homes of their own.

My husband used to be so good to do little things that always need to be done around the home but for the last few years when I ask him to do something for me he says he will but he puts it off until we both get mad before he does it. It makes our home so unpleasant. What can I do about it? We are retired farmers.

Worried Wife

Answer:

I suppose your husband is older and slower about doing things than he used to be. Or perhaps he thinks you nag him and it simply makes him act contrary.

Why don't you refuse to get angry with him, no matter how long he puts off doing the things he should and see if he doesn't improve?

LOUISA

A girl who signs herself "Undecided One," is very lonesome and upset over her present situation. She would like to go away to work but has had no special training as she stopped school to nurse a sick mother.

Now she hates to leave her father although a sister and her husband live in the other half of the house. The boy she loves neglects her and goes with other girls. He thinks she is too good to ever get a husband.

I think, Undecided, that you will be much happier keeping up your high standards than you would be by giving them up for a little bit of temporary popularity. The boy you think you love would probably make you a very poor husband and the best thing you can do is to try and get him out of your mind.

I think you should try to get a job in the town where your sister lives so that you can get away from your present surroundings. If you meet some other young men

you will find it much easier to forget this one.

You are interested in nursing and you may be able to enroll in a hospital for a course. The sister who is at home can certainly look after your father for a few years and give you a chance to prepare yourself for life after he is dead and gone.

Don't sit still and worry but take steps to improve your situation.

LOUISA

Dear Louisa:

I live with my daughter but she expects me to take care of the children all the time and never have any time to myself, while she and her husband go all the time.

I can get a job and I think I'll be happier. Do you think this will be treating her badly?

Tired Mother — Ala.

Answer:

Take your job, by all means. When your daughter realizes how much you have been doing, she will appreciate you more than she has in the past. Everyone needs some time of their own and perhaps, after a year or so, if you care to come back, she will be glad to make an arrangement with you whereby you can have a certain amount of free time.

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K. B. Sangudo.

One day my Aunt's neighbour's little girl was over visiting them. All at once she said, "You know we are going to get a baby brother at our house." She paused for a moment then added, "And mommy knows about it too."

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EDMONTON—The RCAF Survival Training School is running what is believed to be the shortest swimming course in Canada. Non-swimming survival students, in three one-hour periods, are taught to swim so that should they crash or be forced to land on a body of water, they would be able to reach land to put into practice the principles of survival taught here at Edmonton.

East holiday season brings a tragically large number of deaths through drowning. Some of the victims are of course experienced swimmers who over-estimate their strength or meet with some misfortune whilst in the water, but the majority are non-swimmers who get out of their depth or are involved in boating accidents. Public minded groups are making a determined effort to provide the necessary training throughout the country, but still a large percentage of our population is unable to swim. The reason for this appears to be fear of water or the mistaken idea that swimming training is a long term proposition. It is hoped that the success of the RCAF's short course will illustrate the error of this thinking.

When in September, 1952, the RCAF passed down the order that all survival students should be brought up to swimming standard before graduation, S/L Scott E. Alexander, officer commanding Survival Training, faced what appeared to be insurmountable problem. An expert swimmer and swimming instructor of many years standing, S/L Alexander had always regarded a month as the minimum time required to instill even the rudiments of swimming in a student. Now here was the problem of teaching swimming during a fourteen-day course. Survival students spend the first three days of their training in Edmonton and the remaining eleven days are spent in the bush on trek. It was obvious then that the swimming instruction would have to be given during that first three days. All that could be spared out of an already crowded program was three one hour periods.

S/L Alexander and his staff studied the conventional swimming program and cut out all that was considered less than vitally necessary. They reasoned that since the three periods followed consecutively there would be no need for revision, each lesson would be filled with instruction.

The result was a program that they thought would work. Since then 160 men have been taught to swim from scratch. There has not been one failure. This is surely a record.

"The ability to swim is born in all of us", says S/L Alexander. "It's simply a matter of overcoming fear of the water. The most difficult part of the training is in convincing a man that he is able to float just as long as he has some air in his lungs."

He demonstrates the truth of this with the aid of a toy balloon. He deflates his lungs and floats supported only by a partially inflated balloon. "This small amount of air," he says, "is all that is required to keep a man afloat". After this he goes ahead and instructs on the hand, arm and leg movements. He discusses breathing and the position of the head, and before the student has had time to appreciate what is happening he finds himself swimming.

There is no doubt that the dynamic personality of the squadron leader plays an important part in the instruction. Still wearing his glasses, he swims or treads water while he is talking, and if a listener closes eyes he gets the impression that he is listening to a class room talk.

Newly arrived students who have heard in advance about the swimming course are sometimes pessimistic about their chances of success. One such student was F/O Wally Gryba, 22, of Saskatoon. He arrived with eleven years of unsuccessful instruction behind him. "All I have succeeded in doing so far is swallowing a great deal of water and sinking with depressing regularity". After 50 minutes of instruction Wally swam the width of the pool. His style left much to be desired, it must be admitted, but he did swim. At the end of the second hour he swam four widths, and on the third saw him jumping into nine feet of water for life-saving and rubber boat drill. F/O Gryba's case is by no

means exceptional, students rarely require more than two hours' instruction before swimming. The school's greatest success to date was teaching in 90 minutes a man who had been trying to swim for 28 years.

In a recent interview, S/L Alexander stated that swimming instructors would be welcomed at the school to observe the methods employed.

U. of A. Term Opens Sept. 21

The fall term of the University of Alberta starts Sept. 25, with registration of students Sept. 21-24, it was announced recently.

New students will register Sept. 21-22 for arts, science, commerce, education, agriculture, household economics and

pharmacy. Second-year students and first-year law students will register Sept. 23, nursing students Sept. 8. All other students, including second-year and third-year law students and part-time students, will enrol Sept. 24.

Physical examinations for new students will take place Sept. 21-24 and lectures begin 8:30 a.m. Sept. 25.

The first day for special and extra mural students, and for partial students in Edmonton, will be Sept. 28. Special supplemental exams will take place Oct. 3, and the fall convocation Oct. 31. The fall term is due to finish New Year's Eve, Dec. 31.

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Use Chemicals Wisely. Properly used, 2,4-D, MCP, and other modern weed-killing chemicals are effective weapons against weeds. They can often produce results where other weed control methods fail. However, the effective use of these potent chemicals doesn't allow for any guesswork. For best results weed-killing chemicals must be used wisely. The important points to consider are (1) the kind of weeds present, and their stage of growth (for annual weeds early treatment is important), (2) the crop and stage of crop growth, and (3) weather conditions. By getting the best information available and then following directions carefully, farmers can avoid crop damage and do a first-class weed-killing job. A good slogan every farmer in Western Canada should follow in 1953 is "Kill Weeds with Chemicals."



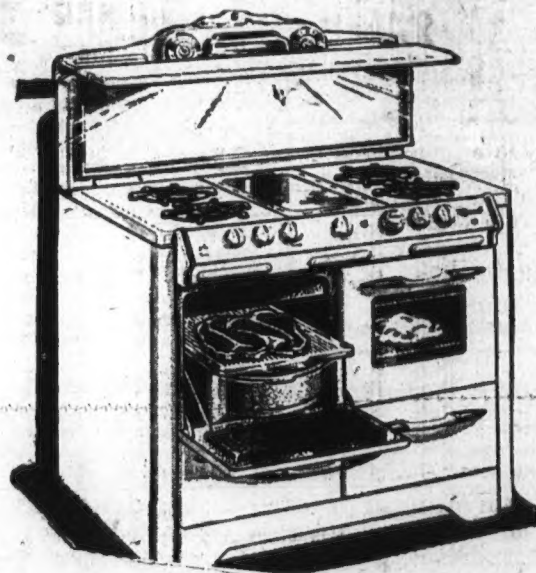
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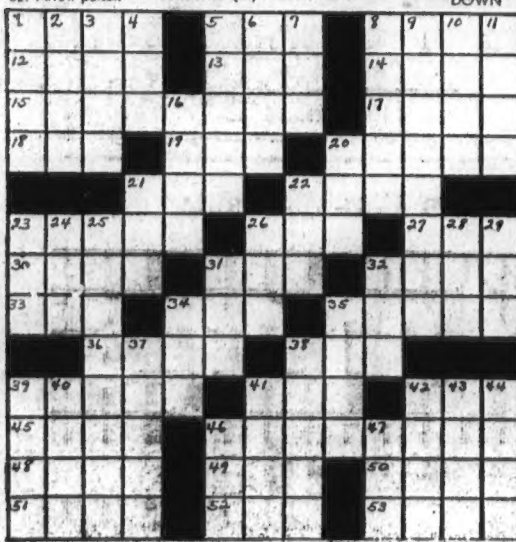
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 20. Panicles
 21. Be sick
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 23. Eddying motion
 26. To do wrong
 27. Chemical suffix
 30. Sharpen
 31. A lgafer
 32. Arrow poison
 33. Still
 34. Goal
 35. Ice
 36. Formerly
 38. Girl's name
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 49. Gold (sp.)
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22. Dull
23. Bashful
24. Sorrow
25. Concerns
26. Total
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D.B.W.

Mayerthorpe, Alberta.

A young man was playing the piano and singing one of those long sacred songs which are so boring to small children who do not understand them. My daughter said, "What a long song!" I whispered "Hush," just as the music ended and she said "Oh I didn't say I didn't like it. I just said 'What a long song!'"

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SURVIVAL SCHOOL

AIRMEN SAY, "IF YOU LIVE, YOU'VE PASSED THE COURSE"

By Roland Wild, in the Calgary-Albertan

I sat before a roaring fire in the Northern Alberta bush, 200 miles north of Edmonton. Temperature: zero.

I was reproducing, as closely as possible, the plight of an airman of a plane crash-landed in unknown country. The clothes I wore were from emergency supplies. The soup in the pot was from the plane's emergency rations. The flames lit up the dramatic orange and white sections of a parachute, making a tent for the four of us. Behind me, three fires were set ready for signals, in the triangle that is the R.C.A.F. signal of distress—green boughs for daytime smoke, small trees for night-time flames.

Our most valuable possessions were an axe, a shotgun, 24 ration boxes and a small red book entitled Land and Sea Emergencies. The book is the Bible of the Survival School of the R.C.A.F., the strangest school in North America. In 82 pages it gave me the laws of survival. It dictated every move I must make in the next six days—the size of this fire, a rough philosophy for use in the woods, even the fact that I must now rest instead of working.

The 24 ration boxes, six inches by four by four, each contain 10 hardtack biscuits, six ounces of dehydrated beef and pork extract, one oatmeal block, cocoa beverage powder, 12 damp-proof matches, six lumps of sugar, one bar of chocolate, two ounces fotea, salt, chicken noodle soup (for one pint), one block of hard candy, one plastic spoon. Two sample meals suggested by a menu sheet placed in the bottom of each box are:

BREAKFAST

Oatmeal Block
Meat Bar (1/2)
Biscuits (2)
Tea, Sugar

SUPPER

Chicken Noodle Soup
Meat Bar (1/2)
Biscuits (2)
Cocoa Beverage

On this ration I am advised to reach a compromise to save my energies. The book instructs me how to make snares and traps for small animals, and with the shotgun I can supplement the menus with rabbits, squirrels, or even mice. But the book reminds me that I must not expend energy if it means that it makes me more hungry. For the same reason I must keep warm, for a chilled man needs more vitamins. My three considerations, always to be kept in the front of my mind are: 1. Warmth; 2. Food; 3. Signals.

This way, I can survive in the bush.

The course was put together and is supervised by the R.C.A.F.'s greatest expert on the Northland, F/L Scott Alexander, a strapping 40-year-old ex-Mountie who spent 10 years in the North, much of the time alone.

When planning the course, he at first assumed that in every air crew there would be one or two men who would know their way around in the great outdoors. After a time he revised his opinion: he goes on the assumption today that nobody knows anything. None of the instructors will say who makes the best bushman, town boy or country boy, but it is ironic that one of the best is from London, England, F/L Leonard Beasleigh, adjutant of the school and an instructor.

"Probably the easiest animal to catch is a rabbit," Beasleigh said, "but you can't live on rabbit for more than five days. Boil the whole animal, and eat the lot—stomach and entrails. Drink the water afterwards, and save the fat for waterproofing your boots."

He went on in the role of a Mrs. Beaton of the bush, with other recipes from one of the world's most unusual cookbooks, part of the R.C.A.F. Manual On Survival. "Porcupines are easily killed," he said, "and are rich and tasty. Slit the skin down the middle of the underside, and it will peel off like birch bark, and look out for the quills. Roasted Grasshoppers have a nutty flavor, not bad. Take the wings off and fry the bodies. Boiled mice are O.K. if you forget what you're eating, and



IN ALBERTA BUSH R.C.A.F. airmen learn how to survive if they're left stranded after a plan crash.

the same goes for snakes. The best food plant in the North is lousewort: sound repulsive, but you can eat the root, very tasty . . ."

The second day there was nothing in the snares, and Beasleigh adjusted them and prepared the same menu of neutral-tasting "meat food product." He decided against hunting rabbits with the shotgun in order to save energy. "Above all, we don't shoot for sport," he said. "We need the ammunition for signalling, for one thing; three shots at dawn, and three at dusk." He insisted on the importance of everyone in camp being busy, without using up energy. So that night we were whittling sticks to make a tripod pantry in case the snare brought a reward, and pothooks to hang over the long fire.

Not till the fourth day, when Beasleigh was cutting ice on the creek for a water hole, did the snare produce anything for the pot, and then it was only a whisky jack that hung by the leg from the noose. The tiny bird, savoring the pot for four men, was the only variation from the monotonous rule of the rations.

The 30 students of the course scattered through the woods with Indian and trapper instructors, and ex-Mounties commissioned in the R.C.A.F., were faring as badly in an area apparently empty of game. Each camp sent a foraging party out with the shotgun every day, taking compass bearings to insure return, but without result. Our movements were becoming slower, and our preoccupation was with the next meal. The mind tended to exaggerate small details. Relationships were strained, and there were suddenly immense importance in the position by the fire, and layout of the sleeping bags in the cold tent at night, the infinitesimal details which well-fed men would ignore.

On the fifth day, the beef extract was tasteless and only the chocolate bar and candy were welcome. The snares remained empty. We imagined the despair of a crew checking the diminishing hopes as they prepared new signal fires, fired off their rockets and searched the skies for rescue.

But on the sixth day, when we marched slowly out of the bush into civilization, we had a new kind of confidence, with the knowledge that a forced landing and a week's wait for rescue would mean hardship but not necessarily death. The bush had lost some of its terror for the airman who flies over the least-hospitable terrain in North America, though one young officer said, "I was ready to eat the buttons off my parka," and another remarked, "It's easy to know your marks after this course; if you're alive, you've passed."

News From Other Alberta Towns

RURAL ELECTRIC CO-OPERATIVES SHOULD POOL THEIR RESOURCES

By L. W. NEWCOMBE

According to Dr. J. L. Robinson, Minister of Industries, there are now 277 rural Electrification Co-operatives in Alberta. Under the present legislation members are admitted to these co-ops on a down payment of \$150 on a probable total of an average of \$1,000 balance to be spread over a ten year period at 3½ per cent interest. The money thus raised is used to construct rural power lines, or to buy into already built lines between towns.

If these co-operatives were combined under one overall authority, holding corporation powers under Alberta laws, they, with their capital investment of \$16,000,000 their requirements, of current say \$50,000,000 K.W.H. per year and their 17,000 shareholders, they would have before them two attractive alternatives.

First, the Power Companies who now use their \$16,000,000 worth of power lines and equipment without charge, (an intolerable situation which cannot be expected to endure) should have the opportunity of paying for the use of these lines and capital at their yearly profit rate as paid to other shareholders of the companies. At 5 per cent this could be \$800,000 a year. At present the farmers are subsidizing the companies but deriving no income from their investment.

Second, perhaps it would be more profitable for this Co-operative to make a deal with the Edmonton City Power for their current requirements. This could probably be purchased at half a cent per kwh which is about the rate at which they are at present supplying the Calgary Power who

are expected to buy about 30,000,000 kwh in 1953. With the estimated loss of one-third of the current in transportation to the farms, there should be little difficulty in delivering the juice to the farms at not over one cent. This should be a splendid opportunity for these Electric Co-operatives to make at least interest on their investment until the time comes when they will be able to build their own power plants.

Rained Out Coronation Plans Carried Out

EVANSBURG—The ball games scheduled for Coronation Day which had to be cancelled due to rain, were played here on Sunday afternoon with a good attendance.

In the first game between Evansburg and Wildwood the score was Wildwood 7, Evansburg 6.

Wildwood then scored over MacKay by 7-2 in the second game.

Two softball games were played with Evansburg winning over Magnolia 7-6.

In the game between the Evansburg married women and the Pee-Wees, the lads scored one over the ladies.

Two of the floats prepared for Coronation Day were brought out and a small parade took place. It was led by Mrs. R. Stepaniuk and Miss Edna Stannik on their ponies followed by the Community League float carrying some of the girls who had taken part in the winter carnival, dressed in costumes. Then came the 4-H Club float carrying a member of the club on it as queen, the "Smoky Mountain Boys" supplying music. Both floats carried out a patriotic theme in red, white and blue and Union Jacks. A group of people followed up to form the snake dance.

The parade proceeded from the Memorial hall to the school grounds, back to the hall and on to the road intersection on the highway near the Gough residence, then back down the highway to the Sales and Service where it disbanded.

Two Claims Filed In Traffic Deaths

Two statements of claim totalling \$98,864 have been filed in connection with two fatal traffic accidents.

Mrs. Polly Shulko of Lac la Biche filed a claim Friday for \$58,114 against Ford Scott of Venice, Alta. Mrs. Shulko's claim stated that on Dec. 30, 1952, her husband, William Shulko, was driving a truck when it was in collision with a truck owned by Scott on the Edmonton-Lac la Biche highway. Shulko's truck caught fire and he was burned to death.

Kost Bezovic of Enako, Alta., is suing Marcel C. Joly of St. Paul for \$35,750 in connection with the death of Mrs. Bezovic resulting from collision between a car in which the woman was riding and a car driven by Joly. The accident occurred Sept. 6, 1952.

Dance Sponsored By Pee Wee Ball Club

SANGUDO—Members of the "Pee-Wee" ball team, under the direction of Mr. A. Ruark, sponsored a dance last Friday night. Blair Stang was in charge of the door. Lunch of coffee and donuts was served by the boys. Rochfort Orchestra supplied the music. Money from this dance will be used to help buy uniforms.

Firemen Winning Fight To Stop McMurray Fire

EDMONTON (BUP)—Chief Timber Inspector J. L. Janssen said Monday night fire-fighters appear to have checked a wild forest fire which was threatening to engulf the northern Alberta settlement of McMurray.

The fierce blaze was still burning out of control, but its advance on the village of some 1,000 inhabitants had been stopped by more than 60 "smoke-eaters" and four bulldozers.

"I haven't received any late report from there, but that would indicate the situation has not worsened, and probably has eased," Janssen said.

The fire had crackled to within five miles of McMurray Monday, and was spreading fast over a wide area. A heavy pall of smoke drifted over the village, 250 miles northeast of Edmonton, but according to latest reports the huddle of frame buildings was being saved by the fire-fighters.

Meanwhile, Janssen reported about 40 men and three bulldozers were battling a wild-running forest fire near Spurfild, west of Lesser Slave Lake on Alberta's timber frontier.

"The fire hazard in northern regions has reached serious proportions as the area hasn't been affected by the rainfalls which are drenching the rest of Alberta," Janssen added.

Radway Lions Hold Anniversary Banquet

RADWAY—The Radway Lions Club held their anniversary banquet and charter night on May 29. The banquet was called to order by Lion President Olson. Lion Charles Cholowski gave the invocation.

After dinner Lion Charles Cholowski presented Orest Melesko with a trophy for having highest standing in the Radway Junior Grain Club.

The District Governor, Lyna Hall, was present at the banquet. An address was presented by Mr. Hall.

Entertainment for the evening was presented by Miss Lucy Dombrsky and Mr. Armond Baril of Edmonton.

CORONATION ACTIVITIES DRAW LARGE TURN OUT

LAC LA BICHE—The Coronation Day activities were well attended by local citizens.

In the afternoon the High School ball teams, both boys and girls, put on an exhibition match with Grassland with Lac la Biche being victorious in both instances. The men's league journeyed to Bonnyville to participate in the two-day sports meet there, and came home with one of the prizes, even though it wasn't the first, it was still well earned considering that there were sixteen teams competing. Harry Hill took top honors, winning the \$450.00 first prize money. Ardmore took the \$200.00 second prize, and Lac la Biche the \$100.00 third prize. Supporters for the Lac la Biche team on the second day were very few, but they made up in enthusiasm what was lacking in number. Among these were Mrs. E. Kutney, Mrs. H. Lett and Mrs. M. Sawchuck.

The climax of the Coronation Day was the gala fire display in the evening. Crowds gathered at the lake front, just off the dock by the Legion club rooms, long before the scheduled time, to be sure of a good vantage point. The Sea Cadets of the Royal Canadian Ship Exeter, were out to direct traffic, doing an exceptionally good job.

With the first burst of the fireworks display not a few youngsters were a bit startled and awed by a sight they had never witnessed before. However, they relaxed and thoroughly enjoyed themselves as a succession of rockets, pinwheels, Roman candles, flairs, magic fountains and mortars were set off, and between ohs and ahs called for more.

POLIOMYELITIS

By DR. E. M. ROWLAND, M.O.H., Athabasca Health Unit

Recently over 70 cases of poliomyelitis or polio were reported from the Whitehorse region. Generally speaking, the period from July to November is the time when polio cases appear in their greatest numbers. Especially bad are the months of August and September when in Alberta polio cases seem to be most numerous. The severity of these epidemics varies from year to year; in 1945 there were only 19 cases in Alberta; whereas in 1948 there were 380 cases. The disease is not confined to infants as the alternate name, infantile paralysis, suggests, as adults are attacked and paralysis does not always occur. Of 1,129 cases which occurred in Alberta during the ten year period, 1940 to 1950, 480 occurred in children between the ages of 5 years and 14 years, and 282 cases in people over 20 years of age, males were attacked slightly more than females, and nearly a half of the people that died were over 20 years of age.

No particular group of people escape the disease, and the rural population is just as likely to be attacked as the city dweller and farming families show just as high an incidence of the disease as any other.

Cause

The disease is caused by a virus of which there are several strains; and it has been found in the throats of patients and healthy carriers, excreta of patients, on flies and in sewage. Some authorities are inclined to think the spread is by means of the intestine, that is by taking food or Therefore food or drink contaminated by sewage, flies, or excreta of patient's is infective.

Symptoms

These are characterised by headache, drowsiness, irritability when handled, and neck stiffness. There may be pain in one or more limbs which is increased on moving. Convulsions, vomiting and diarrhoea sometimes occur. Later weakness or paralysis of muscles may occur. People who have tired themselves before the onset of the disease seem to be more likely to get paralysis than others.

Precautionary Measures

During epidemic periods people

are advised to observe the following rules:

1. Avoid large gatherings.
2. Keep the bowels regular.
3. If you develop the "flu" or "cold" during the polio epidemic period, go to bed and rest.
4. Avoid over fatigue.
5. Make sure that all the water you drink is either chlorinated or boiled.
6. Avoid chilling the body.
7. Cut travelling to a minimum.
8. Do not swim in polluted streams or stagnant pools.
9. Kill all flies and keep food clean. Keep food covered to prevent flies from coming in contact with it. The proper disposal of garbage also prevents flies breeding.
10. Personal cleanliness—hands should be washed, after going to the toilet. Personal cleanliness will tend to prevent any communicable disease.
11. Do not take children under five years of age off their afternoon nap during the summer months.
12. Call your doctor at the first symptoms of polio.

Dogs Still Roaming Around In District

ATHABASCA—Dogs are still being allowed to roam at large throughout this area. All dogs should be tied. In the event of anyone being bitten by a dog, the dog should be secured, and kept under observation for two weeks. If the dog has rabies it will usually die during the above period. This precaution is important as it may be the means of saving a person from having to have anti-rabies treatment, which necessitates an injection a day for 14 days.

On no account should the dog be shot immediately after biting anyone.

The greatest precautions should be taken when looking after sick cattle. Rubber gloves should be worn when giving medicines. Several people have had to have anti-rabies treatment because of failing to observe this simple precaution.

All bite wounds and hands contaminated with saliva of suspected animals should be thoroughly washed with strong soap and water.

Rabies is still present in Alberta.

District Farmer Seriously Hurt

SANGUDO—Mr. John Schell of the Roydale district was a victim of a serious tractor accident last Saturday night. It is thought he was blinded by car lights while driving home. Mr. and Mrs. B. Smoole, who came along shortly after, were able to help get him out and also get help from the neighbors. Mr. Schell, who was taken to the Mayerthorpe Hospital, was later taken to Edmonton by ambulance. Although there were no internal injuries he is suffering from broken ribs and collar bone, and also pneumonia. All friends and neighbors wish him a speedy recovery.

Tanker Turns Turtle; Driver Unhurt

DONNELLY HEIGHTS—A 3000-gallon tanker skidding on the muddy road Wednesday into a ditch at Arnold's corner turned turtle. Luckily the driver escaped injury.

The spilled cargo was just like an early visit from Santa Claus to some of the gas buggy owners who were able to help themselves from a miniature pond.

Blue Spruce, Flag Pole Dedicated To Queen

PERRYVALE—At a double ceremony Monday, June 1, Perryvale Central School celebrated the Coronation.

A blue spruce tree was planted and a new flagpole was dedicated to the honor of Queen and country. The students marched from the school, forming the letters "E R" They sang "O Canada".

Mr. C. Merkley, superintendent of schools for this division, then planted the blue spruce tree, assisted by little Judy Locher of Grade 1 and Helen Nalesnik of Grade XI. Mr. Merkley gave an inspirational address. He told the students they could make their lives "true blue like the tree." He pointed out that the tree always lifts its head toward heaven, and advised all to do as the tree—lift heads and hearts to their Creator. The students sang "The Maple Leaf Forever" following this address.

Mr. A. Aloisio, M.L.A., dedicated the flagpole, and, assisted by David Kibbernus and Donald Lewis, raised the flag. Mr. Aloisio spoke of the significance of the flag and pointed out how proud all can be of it. He told the students it was a symbol that binds the Commonwealth together. The freedom guaranteed under the flag is to be cherished by all citizens. He warned the students never to disgrace the flag, but to respect and honor it.

The students then sang the Coronation prayer, after which they were given their Coronation medallions.

The program closed with "God Save the Queen". A number of parents and other citizens attended to mark the historic event.

4-H Calf Club Shows Fine Animals

CARSTAIRS — Crossfield Calf Club show and sale was held at Carstairs, June 10th. Judges: Charles Yule and Joe Roper remarked that the Crossfield Club had the highest quality calves seen this year. Out of a class of 24, six were specials, eleven were choice and seven were good. The six specials were shown by Mervin Hehr, first Larry High, second, Bernie McArthur, third, Stanley Hehr, fourth, Jim Forsythe, fifth, Robert Copely sixth, Mervin Hehr was awarded the Grand Championship for his Hereford Heifer, which weighed 780 pounds and brought a price of \$46. Larry High was awarded the Reserve Championship for his Hereford steer which weighed 840 pounds and brought a price of \$37.50.

The winner of the trophy donated by the Hereford Breeders Assoc. and the wrist watch from Canadian Bank of Commerce was Mervin Hehr. The winner of the traveller's clock and the showman's stick was Larry High.

Showmanship awards went to Jean Forsythe, first—showmanship kit, and Jim Forsythe, second—halter.

Auctioneers, Archie Boyce and Tommy Dench.

Bridal Shower Fetes Bride-Elect

Miss Gladys Scholefield was honored at an open miscellaneous shower on Saturday, June 13th, in the United Church Parlors which was attractively decorated with streamers and white wedding bells. The gifts were presented by Dale Hodson and Carolyn Taylor, cousins of the bride-elect. The gift laden

trailer was pulled by a miniature car, driven by Dale.

The bride-elect was assisted in opening her many beautifully wrapped gifts by her sister, Phyllis and Doreen West.

The programme opened with a solo by Rosalyn Bills followed by the courtship of Gladys and Don in song, sung by Anne Ruddy and Rosalyn Bills. Next was a song by Gail and Dianne Korschuh. The

delightful programme was enjoyed by all those present.

Gladys thanked the hostesses and all those present for the lovely shower in a few well chosen words and extended an invitation to her trousseau tea to be given by her mother June 27th from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

The bride-elect table was tastefully decorated with a table centre of white and mauve lilacs. Bou-

quets of lilacs and cut flowers added to the festivity of the occasion. The tea table was adorned by a pretty chenille doll carrying an umbrella through a shower of rain drops and a beautiful hand crocheted lace table cloth. Presiding over the tea urns were Mrs. J. Scholefield and Mrs. Hodson, mother and aunt of the bride-elect respectively.

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